

State Commerce Commission, Washington, where he will be assigned to the department of import freight charges for the United States Traffic Commission.

Ernest P. Weisker, formerly with the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad and now with the Richmond Freight Tariff Bureau, has been appointed to the chair of the Roanoke Notion Company, Incorporated, which has been in the freight tariff work practically all of his life and is looked upon as especially well qualified for the position.

Commissioner Alexander Forward, in announcing the resignation of Mr. Parker yesterday, said the commission regretted to part with his services, which had been highly satisfactory.

**Roanoke Firm Changes Name.**

An amendment has been granted to the charter of the Roanoke Notion Company, Incorporated, changing its name to the Roanoke Dry Goods and Notion Company, Incorporated. The officers are: W. H. Hedin, president, and H. H. Galloway, secretary.

**Weisger.**  
George H. Parater, who came from the Interstate Commerce Commission several months ago to accept the position of rate clerk with the State Corporation Commission, has tendered his resignation, effective January 1, and will return to the Inter-

Barton Heights Carol Singers  
"Old Cedar Tree," 9 P. M.  
For Theater Program, see Editorial Page.

*Santa to Visit*

**City Employees  
Attaches of Chancery  
Have Christmas Tree  
• of Their Own.**

Santa Claus was a visitor at City Hall yesterday. All municipal employees were paid their salaries for the last half of the month, thus giving them an opportunity to take part in the many Christmas movements in helping the unfortunate and in the needy. Many individual gifts were exchanged by the men and women around the hall.

Rocky Vista Santa Claus, the person of Mary Charles Smith will dedicate a Christmas tree to be disclosed in all its resplendent glory for the benefit of the faithful on connected with the Chanery Court and they all have been faithful during the year. Little appropriate gift will be distributed, and a Carol will be sung by the City Hall Quartet under the leadership of Albert A. Kus. The tree later will be turned over to the Associated Charities for the given and the tree will be given away. When the City Hall closes today, the room will remain closed until next Tuesday morning.

Will Be Held Tuesday Evening  
7 o'Clock in Woman's  
Club.

quet of the John Marshall High School Alumni Association, Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock at the Woman's Club, are well under way, and reservations indicate that upwards of 200 will be in attendance. Incidentally this will be the first annual reunion of the class of 1921, and special table will be reserved for the various classes. Reservations to date include the following classes: '86, '95, '05, '11, '12, '13, '14, '15, '16, '17, '18, '19.

The program is in charge of Miss Carrie Berkeley. Others on the arrangements committee are Miss H. Van Vort, Miss Eva Branch, Miss Juliet Henning and J. Taylor Robb.

It was stated last night that the reservations must be made and left tonight. While the crew of a hotel at Main Street were carrying the "Herald" in the office of the Virginia Railway on Wednesday afternoon, the proprietors unlocked the cash box of the newspaper and made their escape with the money and receipts, estimated at \$75. The money was found near the scene of the robbery, the telegram was successful.

**Healtly Concern Chartered.**  
The State Corporation Commission yesterday granted a charter to Kimbrough, McCarthy & Christian, Inc., incorporated, Richmond, with a maximum of \$105,000 and a minimum of \$1,000, to "conduct a general real estate and insurance agency business. The officers and incorporators are John S. McCarthy, president; Edwin S. McCarthy, secretary, and W. C. Kimbrough, Jr., all of Richmond.

housekeepers not to place ash and garbage cans in the streets or alleys on Monday, as that day is a holiday and no collections will be made by this department.

**ACADEMY—Today**  
MATINEE AND NIGHT



DIRECT FROM SIX MONTHS RUN AT ASTORIA THEA NEW YORK

HENRY W. SAVAGE OFFERS

**MADGE KENNEDY**  
(HERSELF)  
"CORNERED"

Mat., 50c to \$2. Night, 50c to \$2.50

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Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday  
Matinee Monday and Wednesday  
**THE PROVINCETOWN PLAYERS**  
IN  
**THE**  
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**JONES**  
By EUGENE O'NEILL  
WITH  
**Charles S. Gilpin**  
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TODAY—between “reveille” and “taps”—will seem all too short for some with last-minute gifts to get. One must shop more or less hurriedly. It is then that the good service of a store like this will count for much.

**Come to the store early!** If still undecided, study the various gift articles you'll see displayed on the booths—many at special low prices. Each contains a very definite gift suggestion that may be helpful. We've done our best to make selection easy.

At every counter there is some one item that may be just the thing you wish.

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## Blankets and Quilts Make Really Substantial Christmas Presents

Young and long-established homekeepers alike will be pleased with gifts of as sound value as Blankets and Quilts. The bride and the girl about to be a bride will be especially grateful.

This year the prices in good Quilts and Blankets are low enough to bring them well within reach.

<b>Cotton Blankets, \$3.98</b> Just think of the comfort and	<b>All-Wool Plaid Blankets</b> <b>\$7.75 a Pair</b>
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Heavy weight, size 66x80 inches and full of warmth and comfort. These come in pink or blue plaids.

**Wool-Filled Quilts, \$7.00**

Our Leader  
\$10.00

**Army Blankets, \$3.50**  
15 Khaki Camp or Army Blankets. These are full size and nearly all wool. We are discontinuing

Lovely plain, with pink or blue borders, or pink or blue block plaids—such as these all-wool blankets; 5 pounds; 70x80 inches.

70x80-inch Plaid Blankets, in the warm Scotch colorings with deep bindings; a luxurious quality.

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